

ORDINANCE NO. 1430

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALM
DESERT, CALIFORNIA, AMENDING PALM DESERT MUNICIPAL CODE
SECTION 2.34.050 RELATED TO ADVISORY BODY OFFICERS

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALM DESERT DOES HEREBY ORDAIN
AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Amendment to Municipal Code. Palm Desert Municipal Code Section
2.34.050(A), *Officers*, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Officers. At the first meeting following July 1st, appointed bodies shall elect a
chairperson and vice chairperson for a one-year term. The chairperson shall preside over
all meetings. The vice chairperson shall preside in the chairperson's absence. In the
chairperson's and vice chairperson's absence, the appointed body may designate a
presiding officer. Vacancies in either the chairperson or vice chairperson position
occurring prior to July may be filled at any time by a majority vote of the appointed body.

The chairperson and vice chairperson positions shall rotate annually in accordance
with a numeric seat-based system established by the City Clerk. Each member shall be
assigned a seat number that determines the sequence in which they will serve as
chairperson. When a seat's scheduled turn occurs, the member occupying that seat shall
be appointed chairperson. If a member is in their first year of service or elects to defer
serving as chairperson when their turn occurs, their appointment shall be moved to the
end of the rotation sequence, and the next eligible seat shall advance. Members may
serve as vice chairperson in any year, regardless of their length of service. No member
may serve consecutive terms in the same officer position.

ADOPTED ON _____, 2025.

JAN C. HARNIK
MAYOR

ATTEST:

ANTHONY J. MEJIA
CITY CLERK

I, Anthony J. Mejia, City Clerk of the City of Palm Desert, California, do hereby certify that Ordinance No. 1430 is a full, true, and correct copy, and was introduced at a regular meeting of the Palm Desert City Council on July 10, 2025, and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council held on _____, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

RECUSED:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the City of Palm Desert, California, on _____.

ANTHONY J. MEJIA
CITY CLERK